

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5 77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

ECW-15J

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

David Andrews, Plant Manager 3M Cordova 22614 Route 84 North Cordova, Illinois 61242

Re: Inspection Report

Dear Mr. Andrews:

Please find enclosed the report generated as a result of the multimedia inspection conducted by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency on December 3-10, 2019 at the 3M Cordova facility. The purpose of the inspection was to assess 3M Cordova's compliance with the Clean Water Act and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, with focus on the generation, management, treatment, and discharge of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances.

If you have questions or concerns regarding this letter or the inspection report, please contact Ray Cullen of my staff, at (312) 886-0538 or cullen.raymond@epa.gov, or your legal counsel may contact Jacqueline Clark, Associate Regional Counsel, at (312) 353-4191 or clark.jacqueline@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Ryan J. Bahr, Chief Section 2, Water Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Branch

cc: Jay Patel, Illinois EPA (via email) Jim Miles, Illinois EPA (via email)